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9.3 Taylor series with remainder

What is the fifth order Maclaurin series for $f(x)=\sin(x)$? What is the maximum error when approximating $\sin(x)$ on $[-\pi, \pi]$? Solve graphically and numerically

$$\sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} + \text{error}$$

← remainder

$$\text{error} = \left| \sin x - \left(x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} \right) \right|$$


$y = .524 = \text{max error}$

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1. order of polynomial
(# terms)

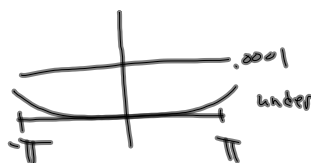
2. interval

3. max error

How many terms are needed in the Maclaurin series for $\sin(x)$ in order to approximate $\sin(x)$ within .0001 on the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$?

↑ max error

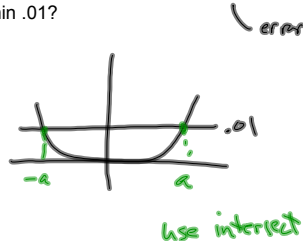
guess & check until error is under .0001



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On what interval does the third order Maclaurin series approximate $\sin(x)$ within .01?



$$\text{error} = \left| \sin x - \left(x - \frac{x^3}{3!} \right) \right|$$

Taylor's Remainder Estimation Theorem

$$f(x) \approx f(0) + f'(0)x + \frac{f''(0)}{2}x^2 + \dots + \frac{f^{(n)}(0)}{n!}x^n$$

$$\text{error} \leq \left| \frac{M x^{n+1}}{(n+1)!} \right|$$

$M = \max \text{ value of } f^{(n+1)}(x)$

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The approximation $\ln(1+x) \approx x - \frac{x^2}{2}$ is used when x is small.

Use the Remainder Estimation Theorem to get a bound for the maximum error when $|x| \leq .01$. Support the answer graphically.

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$$\epsilon \leq \left| \frac{M x^3}{3} \right|$$

$$f'''(x) = \frac{2}{(1+x)^3}$$

$M = \max \text{ of } f'''(x) \text{ on } [-.01, .01]$

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